

STAFFORD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Agenda Consideration

TOPIC: Adoption of textbooks for 12th grade
mathematics and English for
Commonwealth Governor's School

ITEM NO: 8G

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MEETING: March 28, 2006

ACTION DATE: March 28, 2006

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ACTION REQUESTED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT:

That the School Board approve the adoption of textbooks for the mathematics and English program at the 12th grade for Commonwealth Governor's School at an estimated amount of \$8,611.92 based on a total enrollment of approximately 60 students in English 12 and 45 students in calculus.

KEY POINTS:

These texts support the curriculum in the 12th grade of the Commonwealth Governor's School for mathematics (calculus) and English (Advanced Placement) and meet the criteria for a program based on a parallel curriculum for gifted learners. They also correlate with the Virginia SOL. The publishers, Prentice-Hall and Thompson Learning, also provide ancillary materials as extensions to the texts for teachers and students.

SCHOOL BOARD GOAL:

Provide educational excellence through instruction that establishes high expectations for all students yet recognizes the unique needs of each learner.

FUNDING SOURCE: Textbook fund

AUTHORIZATION REFERENCE: School Board Policy 6-46

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COMMONWEALTH GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL
TEXTBOOK RECOMMENDATION

DATE March 28, 2006 COURSE # 1195G
COURSE TITLE CGS English Literature & Comp GRADE/LEVEL 12th
BOOK TITLE Perrine's Literature: Structure, Sound, Sense
EDITION 9th
AUTHOR(S) Arp, Johnson PRICE \$62.75
PUBLISHER Thompson Learning PHONE 800-354-9706
ISBN # 141300654x COPYRIGHT 2006

BINDING:

Hardback X Paperback _____ Spiral _____ Other _____

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS AVAILABLE

- Instructors Manual (one free per teacher) – 141302274X

NARRATIVE SUMMARY/RATIONALE:

This is the current text and continues to meet the needs of the program. *Perrine's* is a standard text for AP Literature instruction.

RECOMMENDED DISTRIBUTION:

One per student X or Class set of _____ per _____ or Other _____
(Number) (Teacher/Grade Level, etc.)

Textbook consumable: NO

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That School Board approve the Commonwealth Governor's School staff and Instructional Team recommendation regarding *Perrine's Literature: Structure, Sound, and Sense*.

COMMONWEALTH GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL

TEXTBOOK RECOMMENDATION

DATE March 28, 2006 COURSE # 3178G
COURSE TITLE CGS AP Calculus AB/BC GRADE/LEVEL 11th or 12th
BOOK TITLE Calculus EDITION 3rd (AP)
AUTHOR(S) Finney, Demana, Waits, Kennedy PRICE \$75.47
PUBLISHER Prentice Hall PHONE 1-800-552-2259
ISBN # 0-13-201408-4 COPYRIGHT 2007

BINDING:

Hardback X Paperback _____ Spiral _____ Other _____

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS AVAILABLE

- Teacher Resource Package, One free per teacher.
 - o Teacher's Guide with Answers
 - o Assessment
 - o Solutions Manual
- AP Calculus Correlation and Preparation, One free per teacher.
- Transparency Package, One free per teacher.
- Calculus Testworks CD-ROM, One free per teacher.
- Teacher Resource Package CD ROM, One free per teacher.
- Technology Resource: On-line support for teachers and students. Chapter support, self-tests, calculator program, www.phschool.com, One free access per student and teacher
- AP Student Practice Workbook -- \$23.97 each 0-13-201411-4

NARRATIVE SUMMARY/RATIONALE:

This is an excellent text for BC Calculus preparation for AP. This newer edition includes online resources and includes more problems for students to work while using a graphing calculator than earlier edition.

RECOMMENDED DISTRIBUTION:

One per student X or Class set of _____ per _____ or Other _____
(Number) (Teacher/Grade Level, etc.)

Textbook consumable: NO

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the School Board approve the Commonwealth Governor's School staff and Instructional Team recommendation regarding the adoption of the text *Calculus*